

Remarks:

Claims 1-11, 13, 14, and 16-19 remain for consideration in this application. Claim 14 has been amended and claims 12 and 15 have been canceled. In the office action dated January 17, 2006, the Examiner indicated that claim 15 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicant has inserted the limitation of claim 15 into independent claim 14 and has canceled claim 15 accordingly. As a matter of form, a Statement of Status and Support for Claims is attached hereto showing support for making this amendment.

Turning now to the office action, Claim 14 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by FR '953 and DE '343. As noted above, claim 14 has been amended to include the limitation of claim 15 which was indicated as being allowable by the Examiner. Therefore, Applicant submits that the rejection of claim 14 has been overcome and respectfully request withdrawal thereof.

Claim 12 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Spain in view Ku et al. Applicant has canceled this claim, thereby rendering this rejection moot.

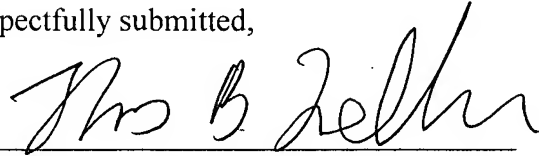
In view of the amendments submitted herein, Applicant has enclosed a Supplemental Reissue Declaration.

In view of the forgoing a Notice of Allowance appears to be in order and such is courteously solicited.

Any additional fee which is due in connection with this amendment should be applied against our Deposit Account No. 19-0522.

Respectfully submitted,

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